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By I. M. WISE

#### LOVE THE CONSTITUTION

The Communists, not a taste of that direct action which they advocate when three of the red stripes were elected from an assembly committee hearing a short time ago.

The bill under consideration provided for the dismissal of any teacher who advocates the overthrow of the government by force and also closed school buildings to meetings of revolutionary organizations.

The committee having been drenched with a verbal shower on two previous occasions, decided that enough was enough and more than enough was a ladylike redundancy. It therefore having heard from proponents and opponents of the measure, took the position that as both sides had been given ample opportunity to be heard, the talk should come to an end forthwith. Of course that did not suit the reds for if there is one thing more than another they like to do, it is to talk and argue. So they let out a wild wall about their constitution, right of free speech and declared they were going to talk anyway. A hard-hatted sergeant of arms, active order of the chairman policy, but firmly led them out into the hallway. After the men had been ejected a woman, Sonia Baltham, representing the American League Against War and Fascism, elbowed her way through the crowd to the desk of the committee chairman and insisted upon her inalienable right of vocalizing. Cautioned by the chairman not to try and make a martyr out of herself, she continued to shout and harangue until she, too, was given the bum's rush. The Communists departed vowing that there is no justice in this country.

#### STATE POLICE

The bill creating a Department of State Police troopers is being given a thorough airing before the assembly constitutional amendments committee. There seems to be considerable opposition.

#### Compromise In Bonus Bill Is Planned

WASHINGTON, May 15.—UP—An attempt will be made to jam a compromise bonus bill through Congress as an amendment to some routine appropriation measure. If the Senate sustains the expected veto of the Patman bill, it was learned tonight.

Bonus leaders in Congress are prepared to sponsor a plan to give the President an alternative of three ways of paying the bonus. The Patman bill, which proposes to pay the \$2,500,000,000 bonus in greenbacks, has been approved by both Houses and is expected to be sent to the White House Friday. President Roosevelt is expected to veto it promptly and send a strong message to Capitol Hill giving his reasons. The proposal favored by Senator D. C. Clark, Dem., Mo., who is engaged in behind-the-scenes maneuvers and who offered the Vinson plan as a substitute for the Patman bill in the Senate, would permit the President to pay the bonus:

- 1.—By a bond issue.
- 2.—By issuance of currency.
- 3.—By taking part of all of the \$2,500,000,000 out of the \$4,000,000,000 work relief fund.

#### Scout Leaders Plan Programs For The Season

Scouting activities were planned last night when the Boy Scout Round Table convened at a local cafe with Harold Garrard presiding.

About 100 Scouts from Richmond will attend the camporee to be held Saturday and Sunday at Pittsburg.

Many troops are signing up for the Scout camp which will be held this summer at Camp Woodhore in the high Sierras.

Several other coming events were planned by the Scouts, including the big camporee which will be held here during the fall.

#### THE WEATHER

**BAY REGION**—Fair, but with considerable cloudiness today and tomorrow; moderate temperatures; moderate west winds.

**NORTHERN CALIFORNIA**—Fair Thursday and Friday but unsettled with showers extreme north portion. No change in temperature.

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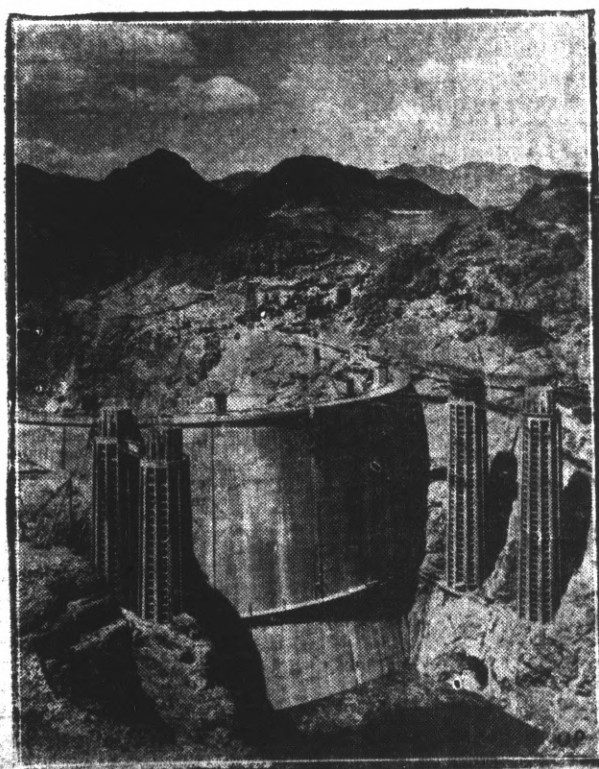
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# SPECIAL ELECTION FOR STATE PROPOSED

## Nears Completion



HERE is the upstream side of Boulder Dam as seen from a high point on the Arizona rim of Black Canyon. The intake tower on the right, on the Nevada side, is already completed, while the other three are nearing completion.

## Government Tunnel Road Backs Down Is Open Again In Code Case For Traffic

A Federal court in San Francisco yesterday toppled the lumber code into the discard.

The Government backed down on its charge of code violations by the Smith Lumber Company, agreed the concern could use the Blue Eagle emblem, and the company in turn dropped its suit for an injunction to restrain the code authority.

The case, in which the NRA has taken another legal defeat, developed after the Smith Lumber Company had been selling its lumber and making bids on public works in accordance with the minimum

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## Labor Council Lays Plans For Annual Picnic

Plans for the annual picnic of Contra Costa county organized labor on Labor day were made last night when the Contra Costa County Central Trades and Labor Council met at Brotherhood hall.

The following committee will have charge of the affair.

Roy Scott, chairman; A. Schumacher, Guy Vargas, Carl Gosler, Jack Faulkner, Sam Herrod, O. R. DeGault, I. F. Tinsman, B. J. Chevreux, R. V. Lytton, Pat Lyden, J. L. von Tello and Russell Roberts.

An open meeting will be held at Pittsburg on May 23 under the sponsorship of the council. It was announced. There will be a program and several speakers will appear.

E. L. Orr presided over the meeting of the organization.

## Vacant Building Damaged By Fire

Damage estimated at \$100 was caused by a fire that for a time threatened a vacant store building on Macdonald avenue near Twenty-third street yesterday afternoon. The building was formerly occupied by a key shop and bicycle repair business.

A lot adjacent to the building was being burned off when the building caught fire. Richmond firemen responded to the alarm and quickly extinguished the blaze.

## Timber Walkout Reported Spreading

### TAX BURDEN OF STATE TO BE RAISED

SACRAMENTO, May 15.—UP—Ten tax proposals to raise an estimated \$114,800,000 in new revenue and a recommendation that a special election be called to settle present deficit and institutional questions, were submitted to the legislature tonight in a formal report drawn by the joint revenue and taxation committee.

The report, while varying little from agreements reached earlier in the week explained the committee's action on each of the new revenue suggestions and said: "If the legislature concurs in the committee's recommendations, it may adjourn shortly with the assurance that the budget is balanced and that the maximum federal requirements for the first year of the biennium have been met."

Revenue estimates were based on the belief that \$91,000,000 will be needed to balance the state's budget for 1935-37. In addition, the federal government expects California to provide at least \$11,000,000 for unemployment relief. Added to these items is the present deficit of about \$25,000,000.

In addition, it requested that the legislature call a special election during the summer for two purposes:

- 1.—A bond issue, not to exceed \$12,000,000, to finance permanent improvements of State institutions and purchase a site in southern California for a new prison.
- 2.—A constitutional amendment authorizing the State to fund its present \$25,000,000 deficit through issuance of tax anticipation warrants or through some other form of short term paper with a fixed maturity.

## Services To Be Held Friday For Mrs. Anna Vargas

Last rites will be held Friday morning from St. Paul's church at 10 o'clock, with interment in St. Joseph's cemetery, for the late Mrs. Anna Irene Vargas, of 3020 Nevins avenue, who died at a local hospital yesterday. The funeral home will have charge of the rites.

Deceased was a native of Providence, R. I., and had lived in this city for the past 15 years. Prior to that time she had lived at Torrey for 14 years.

Those left to mourn are her husband, Joseph S. Vargas, a son, Joseph Vargas of Albany; a daughter, Mrs. Hazel Pimentel of Berkeley; a grandson, Vincent Carl Vargas of Albany; her mother, Mrs. Maria Vincent of Woodland; her grandmother, Mrs. Rose DaGiaca of Rhode Island; and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Joseph Bertha of Newman; John Vincent, Mrs. Lucy Frances and Mrs. Eleanor Crow of Crockett; Mrs. Florence Richmond, Mrs. Clara Silvera and William Vincent of Woodland, and Manuel Vincent of Rodeo.

HOWARD DETRO of Baltimore, who succeeds Irving Hovgaard as manager of the local enameling plant of the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company, arrived in Richmond yesterday.

DR. W. S. LUCAS and Dr. C. L. Abbott, of Richmond and Dr. M. L. Fernandez, of Pinole attended the physicians convention held at Yosemite this week.

## Sunday To Start Plan Of Safety

Meeting at noon yesterday, the executive committee of the Richmond Traffic Safety Council made plans for observance of safety week to start Sunday.

T. Bennett Ward heads the committee in charge of the week, which is expected to be one of the outstanding events in the city of Richmond for the spring months.

#### SPECIAL PROGRAMS

The program will open Sunday when local ministers will, during church services, make special announcements or will preach sermons dealing with safety week.

Richmond police will cooperate with the council in observance of the occasion. Chief of Police L. E. Jones has announced that during the seven-day period, the local police will start a drive for enforcement of all traffic rules and regulations. There will be brake and light testing campaign during the week, Chief Jones said.

#### SCHOOLS TO ASSIST

Richmond firemen, headed by Chief W. P. Cooper will also play a part in the drive. The fire-

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## Joe Perasso Is Given Farewell Party By Group

To satisfy a life-time desire of seeing America, Joe Perasso, well known business man of this city, will leave Friday morning, by auto, for a tour of the country, taking in the principal cities of the United States. He expects to be absent six weeks.

On June 14, he will join the Italian Chamber of Commerce at Washington and will be one of a large party to pay a visit to President Franklin Roosevelt.

Last evening after the business session of the Galileo club, he was given a surprise party by his fellow members and a merry time was had.

During the regular meeting of the committee to arrange the details for the annual picnic of the club to be held June 9, at East Shore park was appointed.

It is composed of Dominick Roberto, Pio Valleria, Sam Azello, Fred Seesa, Luis Sassone, Tony Accornero, Emil Barbano, Jim Bisio, Colombo Gavallio and Dick Roberto.

Angelo Rossi and Pio Valleria presented the trophy that was won last Sunday in the Bocce game at Palo Alto.

Joseph Avendotto was appointed as the new publicity chairman.

## Officers For Moose Lodge Are Appointed

Fred Gardella, newly elected dictator of Richmond Lodge of Moose, last night named several officers to serve with him during the ensuing year.

A. J. Scherwin was named sergeant at arms; H. K. Martin was elected inner guard; George Kinzinger, outer guard and H. K. Martin stick steward.

Talks were made during the meeting by E. J. Brennan, Vic Alger, Joe Gardella, Fred Forwick and others. Announcement was made that the lodge will go to Pittsburg on Friday night at which time Fred Gardella will assist in installation of officers for that organization.

## ROOSEVELT'S AAA DEFENSE AROUSES IRE

WASHINGTON, May 15.—UP—Republicans in Congress counter-attacked today against President Roosevelt's charge that influential citizens are lying about the Administration's farm program.

"The President's speech," said Senator Daniel O. Hastings, Republican, Delaware, "reminds me of a small town bully."

#### LOST HIS HEAD

"The President lost his head—and that is the mildest term that can be applied," said Representative Hamilton Fish, Republican, New York, who represents the district in which Mr. Roosevelt's Hyde Park estate is situated.

While both houses of Congress rang with denunciation and red hot oratory, the cause of the storm—4500 farmers—were out in buses seeing the town. They met yesterday to endorse the Agricultural Adjustment Administration's crop program, and assembled on the White House lawn to hear Mr. Roosevelt say that "high and mighty persons are lying about our agricultural program."

#### BATTLE STARTS

Members of Congress trooped into House and Senate at noon carrying newspapers filled with black headlines containing the words "liars" and "lying." The Republican onslaught started here.

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## Tomorrow Will Determine Fate Of Dave Lamson

SAN JOSE, May 15.—UP—Prosecution forces tonight discussed the most question of whether David Lamson should be tried a third time on charges of murdering his wife.

Friday, date set for a motion for a new trial, District Attorney Fred Thomas will announce the decision regarding Lamson's status, he said.

Lamson spent most of today alone in his cell, awaiting the Friday hearing.

His disappointment at failure of a jury of seven men and five women to reach a verdict in his second trial on the murder charge was unchanged, and he expressed hope of complete vindication if again tried.

Thomas, when he appears before Judge Robert Syer Friday, may ask for a new trial, a 30-day continuance, or dismissal of the case.

## Fight Ensues On Taxation Of Chain Stores

SACRAMENTO, May 15.—UP—The Senate revenue and taxation committee tonight refused by a vote of 7 to 5 to send out a bill taxing chain stores from \$1 on the first store to \$500 on the tenth and each above that number.

The measure previously had been passed by the Assembly.

Opponents claimed the measure was discriminatory, and attempts to penalize chain stores, rather than an effort to add to the State's revenues.

Sponsors of the bill announced they would make an effort to force the proposal out of committee and bring it to consideration from the floor of the Senate.

## Joins Films



SYBIL JASON, 6 year old globe-trotter who came from England to Hollywood to accept a film contract, looks it over approvingly. Sybil's parents live in South Africa, but she has been living in England.

## Grand Jury Report May Have 'Kicks'

MARTINEZ, May 15.—The Lewis grand jury held an all day session today, and the foreman was told what would probably be incorporated in some of the committee reports.

The session was a "dole of peace" affair, and far different from the stormy one held last week. "Clubs" were not even mentioned at the meet.

About the most important committees are, social welfare, hospital, schools and roads. If rumors are correct there will probably be some "kick" in some of the recommendations made by the committees.

The report of the social welfare committee will very likely be different than any filed by previous inquisitorial bodies. From the work it has accomplished, it is almost safe to assume there will be no recommendations, but the report will tell of the changes that have been brought about in the department as a result of investigations conducted by the committee.

As the grand jury is scheduled to adjourn the last of June, all committee reports will be in the hands of the main body when its final session is held on the 13th of that month.

## Richmond Men Are Elected By Co. Educators

R. R. Coudyger of Roosevelt junior high school was chosen president of the Contra Costa County Industrial Education Association at the annual meeting held in Concord.

The association elected William Duxton of Pittsburg high school as vice-president and Francis Gilbert of Richmond high school secretary.

Following the election the group went on record as endorsing and offering assistance and co-operation to any educational program which might be undertaken by the newly formed Contra Costa County Safety Council.

## STRIKE OF LUMBER MEN HITS STATE

PORTLAND, Ore., May 15.—UP—Northern California redwood operations offered stubborn resistance to spreading strikes today as federal mediators pressed for almost hopeless negotiations for a settlement of the general fir strike in Oregon and Washington.

Portland lumber brokers kept in close touch with the Humboldt bay redwood area of California, where a small percentage of workers walked out.

#### PICKET MILLS

Eureka agents said the Dolbeer & Carson Lumber company and Pacific Lumber company redwood mills voted against a strike, but about 30 percent of the employees of the Holmes Eureka Lumber company will walk out. These plants also were picketed. No demands had been made in the Union Lumber company at Fort Bragg, Calif.

#### GRANTED INCREASE

Redwood operators recently granted a 10 percent general increase in wages. The Sawmill & Timber Workers Union, which called more than 27,000 workers out of Oregon and Washington fir mills, is pressing organization in northern California.

Demands made there are similar to those in the Northwest—5 cents an hour minimum, 30 hour week and closed shop, compared with the code minimum.

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## Finance Report Is Presented By Ball Committee

Reports on the financial status of the President's Birthday Ball committee were heard at a recent meeting of the organization held at the city hall.

According to the report, signed by George Imbach, chairman of the committee, the ball realized \$533.03 and expenses were \$82.40. Of the amount taken in, \$125.00 or 30 percent of the net proceeds was sent to national headquarters while 70 percent or \$315.63, was retained here.

So far the committee has spent \$15 for a brace for a local infantile paralysis sufferer.

It was reported that several tickets for the ball have not yet been reported. The committee has urged everyone to file final reports at once.

## Scout Pyramid To Have Scouts At Meet Friday

Boy Scout Troop 104, 42001, present a court of honor at Friday night's meeting of Richmond Pyramid of Scouts at the Richmond clubhouse, Topatch Allen.

The troop is sponsored by the local pyramid.

Donald Seaman, Scout executive, will have charge of the court, which will be open to members, friends and parents of the Scouts. Light refreshments will be served.

At the business meeting plans will be made for the visit to Harbor Lodge of Masons on June 3; for the program in honor of masters of local blue lodges of Masons on June 7; and for the eastbay picnic which will be held at Linda Vista park on June 9.







## WAGNER LABOR BILL PASSAGE NOW FORECAST

WASHINGTON, May 15.—UP—Early passage of the Wagner labor disputes bill—main prop supporting the present era of industrial peace—was forecast tonight by Senate leaders as a survey disclosed only moderate opposition.

Senator Robert F. Wagner, D., New York, former German immigrant and author of the bill opened debate today with a vigorous refutation of charges that the proposal was "radical." "Communist" and would place industry at the mercy of trade unionists.

### AIDS UNIONS

As drafted, the bill seeks to safeguard the rights of unionists and protect workers who desire to affiliate with organized labor by invoking these new regulations:

1.—It creates a board of three to be known as the "National Labor Relations Board" with authority to enforce its decisions in industrial disputes.

2.—It compels employers to negotiate solely with representatives of the majority of workers.

### BARGAIN RIGHTS

3.—It writes into the law of the land the right of workers to bargain collectively through representatives of their own choosing without coercion of employers.

4.—It outlaws company-dominated unions.

"This bill is designed merely to apply to industry generally the benefits of our rich American experience," Wagner said today. "It resulted from ominous disturbances of last summer when blood ran freely in the streets and martial law was in the offing."

### NOT ON LIST

"In its search for industrial peace combined with economic justice, it appeals to the conscience and intelligence of all those who know the history of our country and are imbued with its high ideals. In applying the healing balm of an upright, impartial and peaceful forum to industry and labor, it will benefit employers, workers and the country at large."

The disputes bill is not on the list of President Roosevelt's "must" legislation. He has taken no public stand on the measure. Labor leaders say privately, however, that they have received assurance that Mr. Roosevelt would sign the bill if enacted.

### FIRST DEATH IN 54 YEARS

NORWALK, Ohio.—UP—The first death in her family in 54 years occurred when Mrs. O'Dell La Vigne died here at 74. She was the mother of 12, had 35 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

### THE BEAUTIFUL WAY



Neither winter storms nor summer heat can effect the tranquility and serenity of Mausoleum burial.

### Sunset Mausoleum



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## Restores Life



DR. RALPH WILLARD, 32 year old Hollywood research chemist, holds a frozen guinea pig which he is experimenting on and a live guinea pig which he brought back to life after it was frozen in an ice box for three days. He is shown in his laboratory.

## El Cerrito News

### MISS HAZEL BARROWS ENTERTAINS AT HOME

Miss Hazel Barrows of Elm street was hostess recently at an enjoyable party given at her parents' home. Music and dancing followed by dainty refreshments furnished the evening's entertainment. Among the guests were the Misses Lucille Rawlins, Ruth Norville, Nellie Rosenstrauch, Kathleen Day, LaVonne Long, Margaret Franklin, Dorothy Smith, Vivian Eddy, and Maria Mitani, and Messrs: Jimmie Smithhart, Jack Coombs, Orville Kendrick, Billie Allen, Birlie Burrows, Jimmy Evans and Raymond Evans.

### FIRE DEPARTMENT DANCE ON JUNE 15

Fire Chief Ora E. Burnett announced the completion of arrangements for the fire department's sixth annual dance to be held this year at East Shore Park on the evening of June 15.

Albert Baxter is chairman of the committee on arrangements for the event. He is being assisted by Chief Burnett, Joe De Martini, Sam Long, Melvin Patterson, Harry Tezzy and Assistant Chief Tom Kelly.

Charles Dring's orchestra has been engaged to furnish the music, thus assuring the best to make the dancers happy. A large crowd is expected.

### FIRST AID LESSONS BY FIRE DEPARTMENT

The fire department will hold their regular drill Sunday morning at 9 o'clock, to be followed by the third of the six weeks course of lessons in first aid under the tutelage of Ed Morris, Albany Red Cross first aid officer. The subject Sunday morning will be upon the popular application of splints.

### MRS. C. DEWITTE PAYS VISIT TO HER SON

Mrs. Carrie De Witte visited her son Francis in San Francisco Sunday. Francis De Witte is a scout master and his mother was his guest for the day at Fairfax in Marin county where the Boy Scouts put on an elaborate Mother's Day program.

### RENEWS ACQUAINTANCE WITH OLD FRIEND

Judge A. G. Thompson transacted legal business in San Francisco yesterday and while there renewed acquaintance with Attorney Gilbert H. Boldt, a classmate whom the Judge had not met since they graduated from the same class at Stanford in 1903.

### MRS. F. WILCOX SPENDS DAY WITH DAUGHTER

Mrs. Fred Wilcox of San Francisco spent Wednesday with her daughter, Mrs. F. E. Wingham of Willow street. Mrs. Wilcox was on her way to Hanford to spend home-coming day with her mother Mrs. Lew Gard.

### CITY ENGINEER IS ON VACATION IN SOUTH

Harry D. Chapman, city engineer, left Friday afternoon for Los Angeles and other southern

California points for a 10 day vacation.

### MRS. WINNINGHAM IS VISITED BY BROTHER

Lowery Collins of San Francisco spent Saturday night as the guest of his sister, Mrs. Frank E. Wingham, as he passed through El Cerrito on his way to Placerville on business.

## HULL PRAISED MORGENTHAU'S FINANCE TALK

WASHINGTON, May 15.—UP—The State Department considers international stabilization of currency an important part of America's trade program. Secretary Cordell Hull said tonight.

In a formal statement he praised the recent speech of Secretary of Treasury Henry Morgenthau, Jr. which announced the United States was ready to participate in a move for currency stabilization if other nations were willing to make the opening move.

### NO REFERENCE

Hull made no reference to the calling of an international conference to bring about exchange stability. Many observers believe that Morgenthau's speech foreshadowed such a conference. It is generally believed that such a conference must eventually be called by the British government, since London was the site of the 1933 conference on monetary and economic subjects. This conference never really concluded its work.

Hull said Morgenthau's speech was "timely, clarifying and pointed in the direction toward which the world can look for a further general improvement of its affairs."

### STATE OF CONFUSION

"The fluctuations of exchanges have created a state of confusion in world markets, but I believe this confusion to be only a transient condition incidental to the reestablishment of new and better balanced stability," Hull added.

"That international trade has been able to maintain even its reduced volume during this period of difficulty shows that this trade satisfies genuine needs, but it has not been able to regain previous volume, and this is one of the reasons why most governments today still face such grave problems of unemployment and of business depression."

"Our effort to rebuild American foreign trade is being carried steadily forward—with the necessary safeguards against currency fluctuations. Signs are not lacking that other governments, finding other methods unsatisfactory, are now disposed to direct their policy in the same direction. "All progress made in extending world trade makes it easier to regularize currency relationships. Correspondingly, all progress in this direction makes it easier and safer for governments to arrange for extension of trade."

## STATE HEAD IS COMMENDED BY REALTORS

A largely attended dinner meeting of the Contra Costa Real Estate Association was held last evening at the Carquinez hotel at which President M. A. Hays presided.

Representatives from Concord, Martinez and Pittsburg were present at the session.

Legislative matters were taken up and discussed very extensively. The association went on record as being opposed to an ad valorem tax. The representatives in the legislature from this county will be asked to oppose such a law.

A resolution commending J. Mortimer Clark, state real estate commissioner was adopted as follows:

ADOPT RESOLUTION WHEREAS, recently an effort

was made to thwart the California Real Estate Commission in his sworn duty as is provided for under the California laws, to investigate fully into the "honesty, truthfulness and good reputation" of a local applicant for a real estate salesman's license;

WHEREAS, although pressure was brought to bear on said commissioner, he persisted in his sworn duty to the end that the applicant withdrew his petition, instead of answering to the evidence ready to be produced by said Commissioner; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of this board that the laws governing the sale and handling of real estate transactions be fully enforced to the end that all those persons licensed as real estate salesmen and brokers shall be beyond reproach; and

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NOW THEREFORE, resolved that this, the Contra Costa Real Estate Board, do on record as follows:

commend J. Mortimer Clark, State Real Estate Commissioner, and his aides, for their firm stand and for their conduct of office in the interests of the public, and for the good name of licensed real estate salesmen and brokers of the State of California.

A check presented at the meeting from Richmond were M. A. Hays, Mrs. W. H. Sanford, W. J. Richmond, J. E. B. Smith, Dan Norvell, Bruce Corbin, Rocco Hayes, Mrs. Emma Pearson, Ruby Smith, and Mrs. B. Hays.

### Assembly Passes 30 Hour Week Bill

SACRAMENTO, May 15.—UP—The Assembly late today passed the Patterson bill, providing for a 30-hour week for California workers, with the exception of agricultural, domestic, and railroad workers and those subject to national codes.

Effectiveness of the bill, its sponsors said, is contingent on passage of similar legislation in the Senate and would be effective only if that body passed the bill.

## COUNTESS IS VISITING OLD SCHOOLMATES

SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—UP—School days and her new husband, the Count Count Haugwitz-Reventlow occupied Barbara Lint-

ton tonight as she visited friends. The countess, who divorced Prince Alexis Adolov and married the Danish count in a 21 hour flight from Stockholm, spent most of the day renewing acquaintances and friend ship with former school companions.

A cocktail party honored the count and countess this afternoon, and tonight they were scheduled to visit the Villa Mar-tini, exclusive resort south of San Francisco.

mit photographers to snap pictures, but declined any interviews. Her husband, handed reporters typewritten copies of his name, correctly spelled. "Some papers have been getting it wrong," he commented.

The countess sought informality in her visit. Friends said she expressed a desire to be treated "just like any other girl who wants to have a good time visit with her old school friends."

Barbara let it be known that she would prefer to stay in San Francisco—"if the public would quit treating her as though she were the Gold Dust twins or the Dionne quintuplets."

Mrs. Bernard Ford was hostess to the count and countess during the day. Tonight Barbara's father, Franklin Hutton, and his wife were scheduled to see the newlyweds. They reached Oakland today aboard their private railway car, the "Curlybut." Tomorrow night Michel Smith will be host to the pair at a dinner party.

CAPTAIN R. H. CLARKE, general manager of the Richmond-San Rafael ferry company is reported ill at a local hospital.

*Here's your gas Doc  
... I hope it's a boy!*

Even the stork, these days, depends a lot on gasoline—

"There I was in the dead of night, straining every cylinder to get to Blake's house before the baby did—and my car just laid down and died. Hoofed it into a farmhouse—but no gas. So I phoned to my Standard Service Man who was about to close up. Would he rush me some gas anyway? Sure! And how he tore. We beat Mr. Stork all right. But, believe me, you can't beat Standard Service!"

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# RADIO

## 7 to 8 A. M.

KYA—Musical Clock.  
KGO—Hazel, Arthur, Memory Box.  
KGO—Navy Band.  
KGO—Breakfast with Bob.  
KGO—Records.  
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## 8 to 9 A. M.

KYA—Christian Science Reading.  
KGO—Records.  
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## 9 to 10 A. M.

KYA—Concert, Berman, Bassett.  
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## 10 to 11 A. M.

KYA—Waltz Time.  
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## 11 A. M. to 12 Noon

KYA—Concert, Berman, Bassett.  
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## 12 Noon to 1 P. M.

KYA—Concert, Berman, Bassett.  
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## 4 to 5 P. M.

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# BIG COMEDY BILLED AT FOX THEATER

"It's a Small World" with Spencer Tracy and Wendy Barrie and "The Case of the Curious Bride" with Warren William, Margaret Lindsay, Allen Jenkins, Warren Hymer, and Claire Dodd, are the two features coming to the Fox theater tomorrow.

The heads of "It's a Small World" is none other than Home Center, Louisiana, the great domain of Kingfish Huey Long.

There Spencer Tracy and Wendy Barrie crash into each other while speeding, and are towed into the village where they are charged with recklessness. When they are tried in court, Wendy is acquitted, and Tracy pays a fine. The judge, played by Raymond Walburn, is a sort of "Barber of Seville" a general factotum. He is not only the judge and hotelkeeper, but a sam-warten to boot.

Tracy, who eventually succeeds in having himself appointed special court officer, uses his authority to prevent Wendy from leaving town. He fell with that first crash. On the same program is one of Eric Stanley Gardner's most thrilling and mysterious detective stories featuring Warren William in the role of Perry Mason, attorney-detective, who solves the mystery of "The Case of the Curious Bride."

"Gold Diggers of 1935" of Dick Powell, Gloria Stuart and a great cast plus a thrill feature, "A Notorious Gentleman" will and their screening at the Fox theater tonight.

# Hollywood Film Shop

HOLLYWOOD, May 15.—UP—All the newcomers who storm Hollywood's gates aren't neophyte actors. Many are writers.

Frequently they come in person; other times they send only their manuscripts. But the result is almost always the same. They have only a mathematical chance of being heard or having their products read.

David Matthews, story editor for Warner Brothers, says he receives an average of 200 stories a week from known writers, agents and publishers. Of this number, the studio buys only one or two. The rest are returned with a rejection slip.

In addition to this weekly quota there are thousands of stories brought or sent in by amateurs. These never are read. To protect themselves, the studio returns them unopened.

Artful are the dodges by which these amateur scribes seek to place their yarns into the proper hands. Some telegraph. Some use the long distance telephone. A surprising number employ such tricks as disguising themselves as telegraph boys, as brush salesmen, as insurance agents, even as representatives of the press. Still, their mission always fails.

Matthews, who has been picking stories for the screen for many years, has learned just what to expect from writers. Tell him the season of the year, and he'll name the type of story that will be most likely to come in by every mail. The first frost will bring in a flood of football stories. Snow means hockey yarns. In the spring, the writers turn their thoughts to baseball. But so far no one has thought of turning out a track meet story.

Heaven forbid!" said Matthews.

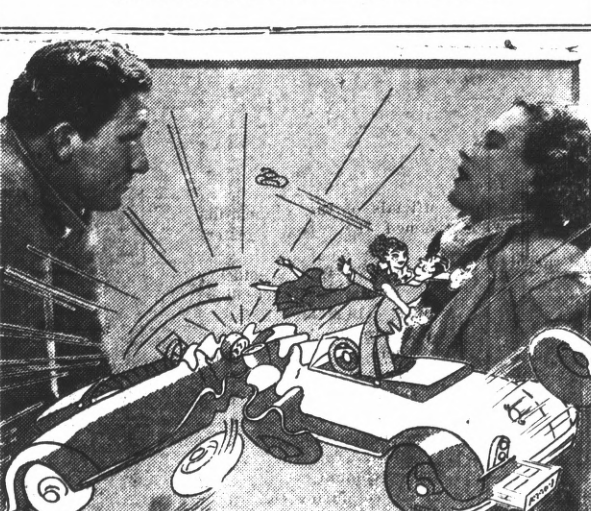
Delegates to K. C. Convention Return

Several local delegates to the Knights of Columbus convention held in Vallejo this week, have returned home.

William Laiz, E. H. Woodfield, M. M. Dowling and Henry Soito attended the convocation.

The next convention will be held in San Diego, it was announced.

# Misadventure



SPENCER TRACY is speeding his way, and Wendy Barrie hers, in the Fox film's new comedy reel "It's a Small World" that will be presented at the Fox theater tomorrow.

# The DAILY WASHINGTON MERRY GO ROUND

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Behind the din and clatter of the bonus free-for-all stand out two salient facts:

1. That for the first time since the issue of immediate payment was raised there is a favorable majority in the Senate. This means that sooner or later a bonus bill will become law regardless of President opinion.

2. That the Senate's action in rejecting the Harrison compromise and the Landon-backed Vinson bill in favor of the Patman measure unwittingly pulled Roosevelt out of a bad hole.

This seeming paradox is made clear by an explanation of what took place on this issue behind the scenes.

A group of leading Senate Democrats—chief among them Robinson, Harrison and Byrnes—came up for re-election next year. Privately they are opposed to the bonus.

But they face difficult contests. So they decided on a stratagem.

They would join in the bandwagon—but their kind of wagon. They evolved the so-called Harrison compromise, under which the veterans would have received a portion of the face value of their certificates.

This scheme they laid before the President. And although he is against the bonus, the Senate leaders understood that he agreed to accept the Harrison plan if Congress passed it.

Hence it was that the Senate, much to the surprise of its authors, turned thumbs down on the Harrison compromise, the President found the chamber had done him a great favor.

It had saved him from making good on a promise that was not only distasteful to him, but was of very questionable political value.

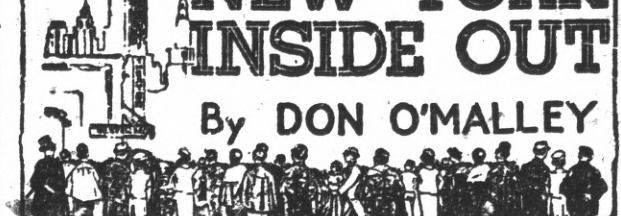
The compromise would not have satisfied the veterans and in accepting it the President would have laid himself open to the charge by bonus foes that he had bowed to political expediency.

Twice, the Senate's turn down of the Vinson bill played into his hand.

He would have vetoed the measure. But because of its Landon-backed rejection would not have been easy. Furthermore, there was a strong likelihood that he would have taken a licking in Congress, with the bill nipped over his head.

The enactment of the Patman proposal created an entirely different situation.

# NEW YORK INSIDE OUT



NEW YORK, May 15.—The Pulitzer dramatic award has stirred up another hornet's nest of controversy as predicted in this column several weeks ago.

Virtually no one on Broadway expected the prize to go to "The Old Maid" which Zoe Akins adapted from Edith Wharton's novel of the same name, and the bitter reproaches came piling in from all sides. George Jean Nathan called the play "absurd" and the award "ridiculous." Clayton Hamilton, who resigned from the Pulitzer jury last year in a huff, compared this year's decision to a mountains' bringing forth "a mouse."

Almost everyone is sore because "The Children's Hour" which was the favorite choice all season, was neglected by the committee. Herman Shumlin, producer of that play, called the prize play "a piece of lavender and old lace." As a matter of fact, the only ones on Broadway who had the temerity to bet on "The Old Maid" beforehand were the treasurer of the Empire Theater, where the play is running, and a friend of his employed in a ticket agency. They collected \$300 on a bet of \$15. As for the dramatic critics in town, not one nominated the play for honors.

Well, the Pulitzer committee seems bent on having its fun, and they'll get plenty of it before the rumormongers are over. The Columbia University authorities are keeping the names of the play jurors secret, but it is known that John Erskine, William Lyons Phelps and Stark Young were the gentlemen involved.

They'll need more than official secrecy for protection.

GRAND LADY—Alison Skipwith is back in town, this time as a flicker shadow in the new Varieties. She's one of the few remaining grand ladies of the theater. Daniel Frohman saw her many years ago when she substituted for Marie Tennesson one night in London. He signed her immediately to play the role here.

Miss Skipwith docked in New York on the afternoon of the opening of the show. She managed to get to the theater just as the overture was being played. With very little make-up and a hastily concocted costume, she went on the stage.

The next morning she found herself the least of Broadway, and the heavens have been sounding ever since.

OLD SAWDUST—Julius's Cafe in Greenwich Village, redolent with 75 years of musty ale and good liquor, every Friday night is the scene of a reunion of old-timers.

Julius's is the oldest drinking place in the Village. On its walls is carved testimony that "Diamond Jim" Brady, "Big Boy" Gates, Edward Everett Winchell and other luminaries of the Mauve Decade frequented the spot nightly. All during Prohibition it remained one of the few true havens for those who valued good cheer and happy imbibing.

Neither has any great use for the other.

"I hear you are interested in archaeology," Ambassador Skinner once remarked to his Counselor.

"Yes, sir," replied Shaw.

"That's old stuff," commented Skinner. "Why don't you get up to date?"

"I think," replied Shaw, about to say that every man should have a hobby. But his Ambassador cut him short.

"Don't think," he said. "Work."

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# New Uprising In Provinces Is Now Feared

MANILA (Thursday) May 16.—UP—A new uprising in the provinces was feared today, following word that four men, including the chief of police, had been ambushed and killed by a band of supposed Communist extremists at Longos in the province.

The Philippine Constabulary headquarters at Manila, heart of the recent Sakdalista radical insurrection in which scores were killed and wounded, reported the Communists shot down the vice president (vice mayor) of the town, the chief of police, a policeman and one other at Longos.

Isidor Acedillo, radical leader of a tobacco factory labor outbreak in Manila, was alleged leader of the outlaw band.

A detail of 20 constabulary pursued the fleeing assassins. Authorities said the incident apparently was isolated and not connected with the recent Sakdalista rebellion against American control in the islands.

All other sections were reported peaceful.

Examination For Teachers Is Set

The county board of education will give an examination for the teachers of county schools on the principles and provisions of the United States Constitution on Saturday morning, June 1, at the county house at Martinez, according to an announcement made yesterday by B. O. Wilson, county school head.

HOUSE-PARTY MURDER

Joan Blanes, who lives with her aunt Harriet, wealthy but eccentric old invalid, is greatly upset when her aunt invites three men—Rodney Mains, Stephen Carls and William Grove—to their isolated country house for the week-end and tells Joan she must pick a husband from among them. Joan gets little comfort when she seeks advice from her brother Ricky. She, meanwhile, has invited another young man, Timothy Reilly. The guests arrive in the midst of a "lizzar," and late that night, the lights suddenly go out. Joan goes to the pantry to get some lumps and a short while afterwards, Miss Andrews, the trained nurse, bursts into the library to announce to the assembled company that Aunt Harriet has been murdered.

CHAPTER VII

THERE was a moment of stunned silence, and Joan kept thinking: "It isn't true. It's a dream. It can't be true." Strangely she was the first to find her voice.

"You mean," she said quietly, "that Auntie is dead, but you don't mean that she's Her voice faltered.

A little color had come back into the nurse's face, but it was still obvious that she had had a severe shock.

"Yes," she answered, "it's murder. Miss Joan."

She drew a long breath and her eyes sought Ricky's horror-stricken face. Joan noticed that a look passed between them that seemed to give the nurse strength to go on.

"I found Miss Blanes for the night at eleven, and went to my room. Then I sat up and read. You see," she explained, looking around at them all, "I have to give Miss Blanes medicine at two-thirty every night, and I wasn't sleepy so I thought I might as well sit up. Just before two-thirty the lights went out. It took me several minutes to find my matches. I lit a candle. Then a little while after that, I went to my patient's room. When I got there I found her dead. I don't think she had been dead very long."

Ricky jumped suddenly to his feet.

"I'm going up to see."

"Not alone!" Rodney shouted. "Rodney is always so noisy."

"Well, we've got to decide something," Stephen said at last wistfully, his face with a large nanchedkerchief.

"Yes," Timothy agreed. "What about two of us sharing a room and, between us, guarding the key?"

Ricky looked at Joan. "We might put William and Timothy together to guard the key," he said, "but I don't like the idea of Timothy alone. He's a bit of a coward. What do you think?"

Joan glanced inquiringly at Timothy and he nodded.

"I'm willing if Grove is."

"Anything to oblige," William murmured.

Joan began to feel that his sarcastic composure was maddening, and then everything was more or less maddening in this horrible nightmare.

It was with a sense of relief that she finally went to her room after Aunt Harriet's door had been locked, and everyone had said good-night. But she found little comfort in being alone, tired though she was. Her candle flickering on the night table made grotesque shadows on the wall, and the wind whistled mournfully. She addressed slowly wondering if she would be able to sleep.

Then, suddenly her heart jumped as there came a soft, insistent tapping at the door.

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# BRIDE TO IS HONOR WITH SHO



Miss Lucienne soon to become chert Odell, was a shower held by Archie McKiver street, recently.

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## Clubs Lodges Society



### BRIDE TO BE IS HONORED WITH SHOWER

Miss Lucienne Sargent, who is soon to become the bride of Archer Odell, was honored guest at a shower held by her sister, Mrs. Archie McVicker, of 149 Fifteenth street, recently.

Games were played and prizes were won by Miss Louise Olsen, Miss F. Brinkley and Mrs. Edith Whetstone. Supper was served.

Those attending were the Misses F. Brinkley, Pearl Cepernich, Ada Zundel, Ida Zundel, Evelyn Yeaton, Elsie Appel, Louise Olsen, Betty Odell, Winifred Schmidt, Mary Aguilar, Alma Theis, of Richmond; Margaret Green, Beth Davis, Myra Webster, and G. Webster of Berkeley; Winifred Stanley of El Cerrito; Shirley Richardson of Albany; Bernice Newford and Marion Appelbaum of Oakland.

Madames Edith Whetstone, Doris Scarsella of Hercules; J. A. Sargent, and Archie McVicker; Messrs. Archie McVicker, John Sinden, Jr., Glenn Miller, Joe Staley, Archer Odell, and Charles Samuels.

### G. A. R. LADIES PAY RESPECTS TO DECEASED

Services honoring the memory of deceased members of the G. A. R. and the Ladies of the G. A. R. were held yesterday at Memorial hall by the Richmond Circle, Ladies of the G. A. R.

Mrs. Anna Herr Jarvis, chaplain of the Circle, had charge of the rites, which were opened with a reading of General Logan's order proclaiming Memorial Day.

Roll call was held and the names of each deceased member of the G. A. R. and ladies was called. A rose was dropped in the wreath at the huge altar of flowers.

Mrs. Z. Buckley led in prayer and Mrs. H. E. Housman and Mrs. Jarvis gave appropriate readings.

Plans were made for the water day services which will be held May 26. Mrs. Grace Craig will be in charge.

Mrs. Jarvis heads the committee which will decorate graves of veterans on May 29.

### Whats Doing Here Today

WAR MOTHERS' whist party at Memorial hall tonight.

PRESBYTERIAN aid group meetings today.

LUTHERAN Guild-Mission meetings today.

12:30 CLUB business-social session today.

McKINLEY MASON'S at Masonic hall.

OVETAH COUNCIL at Red Men hall.

HONOR AUXILIARY business meeting.

Y. M. I. INSTITUTE initiation tonight.

EAGLES LODGE at Brotherhood hall.

20-30 CLUB program at Hotel Carquinez.

HIGH SCHOOL P. T. A. meeting at school tonight.

POINT CHAPTER program at Point Masonic hall tonight.

STAGE MEN'S CLUB dinner meeting tonight.

### MOTHERS AND DAUGHTERS ARE FETED

Mothers and daughters were honored guests last evening at a dinner meeting held at the St. Edmund church under the direction of the Auxiliary.

Mrs. Phil Lauritzen was program chairman, while Mrs. E. H. Galt, president of the Auxiliary, had charge of dinner arrangements.

Mrs. Lauritzen opened the program with a welcome to the guests. Miss Eleanor TenBroeck, daughter of the vicar, gave a toast to the mothers while Mrs. Herman Royton gave a greeting to the daughters.

Mrs. Florence Clark entertained with vocal selections, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Ruby Lohrer. Mrs. H. Wallace gave several readings.

An interesting talk was presented by Miss Ann Clark of St. Margaret's House of Berkeley. The affair was attended by more than 100 mothers and daughters.

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### MRS. T. N. CALFEE IS HOSTESS TO WESLEY CIRCLE

Mrs. T. N. Calfee was hostess to members of Circle No. 2 of the Wesley Ladies Aid Society yesterday afternoon at a delicious luncheon at her home on Twelfth street.

Mrs. A. J. Case, wife of the pastor of the church and Mrs. Anne Hampton, the president of the General Ladies Aid Society were the honored guests of the afternoon.

Following the luncheon, which was attended by about 30 guests, Mrs. Fay Hislop conducted a short business meeting. Plans were made for the calendar dinner, which will be held on May 22 by the General Aid Circle No. 3 will hold a luncheon at the church on June 19.

Mrs. Hislop then turned the meeting over to Mrs. Herbert Whalen, the new president. Mrs. Whalen, on behalf of the Circle, presented a gift to Mrs. Hislop.

Decorations were in keeping with the spring season. Mrs. Calfee presented corsages to officers of the Aid society.

Following last night's meeting a social was enjoyed and refreshments were served. Mrs. Cordelia Joyce headed the committee in charge.

A large crowd enjoyed the "touring dinner" held last evening by the Keystone C. E. class of the First Christian church.

The guests met at the church and then went to the home of Mrs. Annabelle Woodford, 440 Tenth street, where the first course was served. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Bertha Palmer. The next course was served at the home of Mrs. W. P. Self 612 Bissell avenue with Mrs. Mabel Phillips, Mrs. Grace Nystrom, Mrs. Bernice McCormick, Mrs. Gertrude Meadum and Mrs. Betty Davis assisting.

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### SAN PABLO P. T. A. INSTALLS NEW LIST OF OFFICERS

Officers were installed by the San Pablo P. T. A. yesterday at a meeting held at the school auditorium. Mrs. K. A. Roberts, president of the Richmond P. T. A. Council was installing officer.

New officials of the Association who assumed their posts yesterday were:

Mrs. Roy (Owen), president; Mrs. J. A. Bryan, first vice president; Mrs. Blanche Hopkin, second vice president; Miss Della Cameron, secretary; Mrs. William Wharton, treasurer; Mrs. A. Bouquet, auditor; Mrs. Earl English, historian and Mrs. J. A. Berry, parliamentarian.

Mrs. Mildred Kreis of the social service committee was especially honored during the afternoon. Mrs. A. T. Graham and Mrs. W. W. Chapin were guests during the afternoon.

Announcement was made that on June 5 the P. T. A. will entertain with a Fathers' Night program at the school.

RICHMOND P. S. TEMPLE HOLDS BUSY MEETING

Richmond Temple of Pythian Sisters last night installed Leona Jackson as most excellent junior at a meeting held in the Brother hood hall.

The installation was under the direction of Mrs. Gertrude Watson, Mrs. Rose Parker and Mrs. Mary Rihn.

Yvonne Stinetti presided over the business meeting, at which time plans were made for coming events.

Announcement was made that on the afternoon of May 25 Mrs. Rose Parker will entertain members of the sewing club at a garden party. A luncheon will be served. On May 28 a whist party will be held at the Parker home.

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## A Bevy Of Beauty



SO RUN the words of the Londonderry Air, appropriate enough, presumably, were one surrounded with such beauty as above. Here Jean Marlow is crowned queen of the Wematchee, Washington, 16th apple blossom festival and is shown with her court of 25 young women at the beginning of the fascinating pageant.

## Medal For Fair



Margaret Bacon, left, and Marilyn Stone hold the San Diego World's Fair souvenir plaque. The plaque design has been suggested for a commemorative coin, should be approved by Congress.

## TAHOE GROUP CELEBRATES ANNIVERSARY

Tahoe Council, Degree of Pocatentia, celebrated its tenth anniversary last evening at a delightful social meeting held in the Richmond clubhouse.

Adoption of a class of candidates was held during the business meeting, with Mrs. Pearl Smith presiding.

Reports were heard on the visit to the lodge to Crockett Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Nellie Bottoms, Anna Pratt, and Winifred Hoehn had charge of last night's social. A big birthday cake was the centerpiece of the banquet table.

CIVIC CENTER ENTERTAINED WITH PARTY

The Civic Center Club entertained last night at a card party held at the home of Mrs. Beale Cole, 604 Thirty-seventh street.

Many prizes were awarded during the evening and at the conclusion of the party delicious refreshments were served.

Mrs. Cole was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Leonard Cole. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Rose Rosier, Mrs. Minnie Davis and Mrs. Alta Vorston.

The next meeting will be held June 5 at the home of Mrs. Rose Rosier at 1110 Barrett avenue.

HIGH SCHOOL P. T. A. WILL HAVE PROGRAM

Child health will be the topic of tonight's meeting of the High School P. T. A. at the school auditorium at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. E. P. O'Brien will be chairman of the evening and she will introduce Adele Dozier Smith, the school nurse. Hospital girls of the school will be the guests of the evening.

James Egan will entertain with ladies at 1 o'clock.

WAR MOTHERS WILL HAVE WHIST PARTY

The Richmond Chapter of American War Mothers will hold a whist party this afternoon at the Memorial hall. Mrs. Marie McNeil will be chairman of the affair. The public has been invited to attend.

Prior to the whist a short business meeting will be held by the ladies at 1 o'clock.

BACK HOME AGAIN By Dodd

AWRIGHT YUH ASKED FOR IT-- LEMME TELL YOU SUMPTIN' WHEN I WUZ SINGLE I HAD A LITTLE MONEY T' BUY CLOTHES-- NOW IT TAKES ALL I CAN MAKE T' BUY GROCERIES AN' PAY RENT AN' GET FINGERWAVES AN' FACIALS AN' SHAMPOOS AN' CLEANSIN CREAM-- !! AN' HOW MANY PAIRS O' SILK STOCKIN'S DID I PAY FOR LAST MONTH JIS' TELL ME THAT !!



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## TUGWELL SAYS AMERICA WILL BE A DESERT

ALBANY, N. Y., May 15--UP--Rexford Guy Tugwell, undersecretary of agriculture, painted a dismal picture of how fertile American plains being transformed into a desert as desolate as those in China unless conservation efforts are speeded in a speech at the 40th anniversary of the founding of New York's forest preserve.

Conservation efforts, he said, need to be extended with even greater momentum than at present. If this country is to escape the fate of China, he said in a prepared advance of his speech.

FANCIFUL MESSAGE

He read this fanciful passage supposedly written in 2235 by a scholarly English explorer who visited the American "desert."

"This week we have crossed the Mississippi river and we should be unable to travel for more than an hour or two after dawn. The Mississippi was nearly dry so that our portmanteaus sufficed for the crossing."

"Our records show that at the junction of this with another great river, the Missouri, there was once a considerable city and that this was a country devoted to the cultivation of grain. There are now only moving mounds of dust for at least a thousand miles. Of the city little remains except some skeletons of twisted steel. It is not recommended that excavations be carried out at this point, since everything of historical value was moved to the eastward as the desert encroached."

"The cause of these desert conditions is different from that which ruined the civilization to the East. There it was the destruction of trees and the washing away of hills by the characteristic torrential rains of summer."

BIG DESERT

"Today we are camped on the bank of a river which falls over an escarpment evidently built of masonry. We think it must have been intended to dam up a canyon and form a lake to furnish continuous power. We assume that the lake filled with silt and that the escarpment eventually collapsed because the river runs only during the spring floods."

"We have seen no living thing since leaving the Tennessee valley. We expect to return soon for the study of the records which have concentrated there as civilization has disappeared elsewhere on the continent. We expect to spend a few more weeks analyzing the soil of this desert, measuring, as well as we can, the climatic changes since vegetation disappeared and collecting specimens of various remains."

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## OUR OWN DAILY MAGAZINE PAGE

## YOUR GOOD HEALTH

By C. N. CHRISTMAN, M.D.

## Habit-Forming Drug, Marihuana, Especially Dangerous, for It Incites Victims to Kill

YESTERDAY we talked about the habit-forming plant marihuana, and stated that a tobacco tin of the dried blossoms would make thirty or forty cigarettes. One of these cigarettes is enough to intoxicate the smoker.

The first effects are a feeling of well-being. The natural traits of the Florida, a mild, sight and hearing sharpened with an increase of mental and physical activity. The mind races and ideas follow each other in rapid succession with a great feeling of prolongation of time. Moments seem as hours and days.

The after effects are headache and dullness, dizziness, and confusion of mind, with lack of any feeling in the skin and a ravenous appetite. Prolonged use of the drug leads to a complete loss of judgment and self-restraint and, peculiarly, it promotes the desire to kill.

The victims develop a crazy courage and run amuck. For the last few years we have been reading of cases of wholesale murder, when a man previously quiet enough, suddenly turned on his family or friends and killed a number of persons in the most brutal way. Often he kills himself after he has disposed of all those with whom he came in contact.

IN EUREKA, California, a man under this influence cut off the head of his best friend, and after the effects of the drug wore off, was horrified at his deed. In Eureka, a young boy who was smoking the cigarettes was seized with the idea that a number of people were trying to cut off his arms and legs. He got an ax and killed his father, mother, two brothers and a sister, wiping out the entire family except himself.

It is a rapidly growing evil. Some time ago the government might have medical use for the drug, wrote to one of the government departments stating that he could furnish 200,000 pounds of the weeds. There is no law against its production and sale.

All of these habits are almost impossible to overcome except in an institution for that purpose. There are several very definite lines of treatment for these conditions that are largely successful if the patient is in a place where all his actions can be controlled. There have been no such free institutions in the past.

Many private hospitals care for these cases and usually do good work, but the victim of a habit has generally used up all his resources in obtaining the drug and can't steal for corrective purposes.

Our State Hospitals have taken in some of these cases, but are usually so crowded that they could give very little individual care and treatment. Recently the United States Narcotic Farm opened at Lexington, Ky. It accommodates about 1,000 patients, but is intended only for males.

EXPERIMENTATION will be on the best methods of treatment. Of course, this is only a drop in the bucket, but a long step forward. The institution will be administered by the United States Public Health Service which has always done good work. The great thing to be accomplished in order to control this evil is uniform State laws to regulate the production and sale of these drugs.

The National Government cannot do this. The Harrison Narcotic Law requires that a person must have a permit and pay the tax to handle the drugs. Anyone can get a permit on payment of twelve dollars, and if the tax is paid, nothing can be done unless the State has laws for its control. The Uniform Narcotic Drug Act provides the states with the power of control. Many states have adopted this law, but if one state does not have such a law, a loophole is left open.

Unfortunately, the uniform drug act does not include marihuana, which is one of the worst evils and one that is growing rapidly. This act protects the legitimate use of these drugs, but prohibits its illegitimate use.

There is nothing to prevent an individual from going to one physician and obtaining an apparently needed prescription for a limited amount of the drug. He can change the prescription to read for a larger amount or go to several physicians and get similar prescriptions for the same amount. Unless the State has a law, the government cannot prevent this.

Guide to Charm  
FOUR TYPES OF BLONDES NEED MUCH GROOMING

By JACQUELINE HUNT.

JUST to prove that we are not partial to red-heads, as some of you may have guessed after reading yesterday's column, we want to tell you a few things about blondes today. Envious as brunettes are apt to be of your coloring, those of you who were born fair know that your road to beauty is not always a rosy one. You must guard constantly against the darkness of your hair. You must keep your skin fresh and clear and youthful. You must know your type and know what color cosmetics and costumes are most becoming.

Where clothes are concerned, the blonde girl must exercise greater discretion and taste than any other type.

There are four general types of blondes, each of which requires distinct methods of make-up, colors of cosmetics and styles in costumes.

There is the warm gold and ivory type of blonde, who should choose warm red rouge and lipstick and a powder that nearly as possible matches her skin in color.

The rouse and lip color must be skillfully and sparingly used, however, as over-accentuation is apt to cheapen her appearance.

If you belong to this type, choose costumes that are made of fine materials and are of distinctive cut. Avoid excessive trimmings and lines that hide the lovely suppleness of your figure.

The cool blonde can wear cool bright colors such as violet, apple green and nearly all blues. She should avoid reds, however, and heavy, fluffy-looking materials.

The third type is the drab blonde with dull skin and hair. A large percentage of blondes fall into this group, but do not be discouraged if you happen to be one of them! You can be more daring than any of the rest. Scrub your skin until it is clear and shining, and use a natural make-up for ordinary occasions.

Live your hair lemon rinses and wash it often to keep it soft, fluffy and as shining as possible.

Wear smartly tailored costumes, and if you feel like it, wear vivid shades. You can wear red and the warm russet colors and with the right make-up you can be stunning in beige or sand shades and in brown. With beige use a rich warm shade of lipstick and a small amount of rouge with a subtle blending of violet or bronze eye shadow. When you wear brown, use the coral or russet shades of rouge and lip color and green eye shadow.

There is still a fourth type of blonde and there are several general rules for make-up which will be discussed in tomorrow's column.

## PROFILES FOR TODAY

By TALBOT LAKE

Frank C. Walker Is the Man Who Must Supervise Spending of \$4,000,000,000

MOST of us wouldn't think that spending money was a difficult job, but when \$4,000,000,000 has to be spent it's a horse of another color, as they say. This brain-dogging job has been handed over by President Roosevelt to Frank C. Walker, of New York and Montana, and Mr. Walker in turn has been very busy gathering his helpers and perfecting plans for the immense scheme of putting 3,500,000 men to work.

The work relief program is now in the final process of being straightened out, and presently the merits of the different projects will be considered by a works council, headed by the President himself.

The difficulty of getting all these projects into proper order and determining their individual value demands a master hand, so we must look at Mr. Walker with something of awe. The President didn't seem to hesitate at all in appointing the new work relief head. Perhaps it was because they were old friends.

## Organdie Over Taffeta Proving Itself Well to the Fore In Fashion Picture

TWO SPRING MODES



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By IRENE VAIL

New York—From now on, dresses of organdie, organza or net will be found timely and very well to the fore in any fashion picture. Such fabrics are best over taffeta, and taffeta slips are beginning to be wanted in white and dark colors—anything to contribute a little rustling or swishing sound.

Speaking of taffeta, it is one of the ranking fabrics for summer suits, with which one may wear either a sheer lingerie and lace-trimmed blouse, or a gay printed one. Great wide lingerie collars are being worn again over jackets and dresses, some also have deep cuffs of the gauntlet or butcher-cuff silhouette.

For the girl who covets a flowered taffeta dance frock, but finds it a bit difficult to attain, the effectiveness of glazed chintz should be considered. In full-skirted dresses of the picture-book sort it is not without its points.

The use of much ribbon for sashes and for flounces is one of the new-old ideas.

Sketched today, at left, is a silk pique ensemble composed of fingertip cape in brown and dress in beige with brown trimming.

At right, the soft women's model in silk print combines a light rust, green and white with the green repeated in the solid color rippled jabot down each side. Three-quarter sleeves are favored.

At right of the column, a group of neckline details show the diversity of ideas for the party dress décolleté. From top to bottom: A black pleated box buttoning gives a sheer but thick effect at the top of a light mousseline de soie frock. The double shoulder strap arrangement on a black taffeta frock with low square cut back décolleté. The shoulder capelet in color contrasting with the frock is an effective treatment, particularly when shoulder covering is desired. In this case the capelet is yellow on a white chiffon frock.

Thick runnings of net outline the décolleté and provide a drop shoulder line in frock-frou effect.

NECKLINES



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You and Your Child

## GIRL IS CLUMSY BECAUSE SHE'S REMINDED OF IT

By JANE HERBERT GOWARD

"HERE, butter-fingers." Pauline's mother held out a dish for the child to take. "Now hold it firmly and don't move until I relieve you of it."

The nine-year-old held the dish tensely in her arms. She was almost afraid to breathe. She was definitely afraid to think, but, of course, she could not very well control that. Mother stepped off the ladder, and though she moved quickly it seemed to Pauline that she was acting in slow motion. The child was getting panicky and thought, "Wouldn't it be awful if I should sneeze." Just then mother reached for the dish, and in passing from Pauline's hands to her own it wobbled unsteadily. Mother set it down safely on the table. "That was a narrow escape," she said.

Pauline walked off crestfallen. And being thirsty, she went to the kitchen to get herself a drink.

She let the cold water run, brooding while waiting for it to run cold. Then she picked up the glass and drank. It was cold and refreshing. It was just what she needed. Or maybe she was just being clumsy as usual. Forgetting her thirst now, she deposited the glass quietly in the sink and ran from the house.

Mother saw the broken glass later. "Everything Pauline touches gets broken." She spoke aloud though she was all alone. "I'm getting sick and tired of picking up the pieces." With energy she lifted off the garbage top, and dropped in the glass. The crash it made against the metal startled her. She flared up angrily. "I don't know what's the matter with that child! In time mother would cool off. Meanwhile it was fortunate that Pauline did not show up just then.

To be able to handle anything with care, a child needs to have confidence in his ability to be careful. Poor Pauline. She is jinxed by fear, the fear that she will break things. She believes she is clumsy because her mother thinks so. The mother ought to notice the child more when she does not break things instead of harping so much on the possibility of an accident and then fussing over it when it happens.

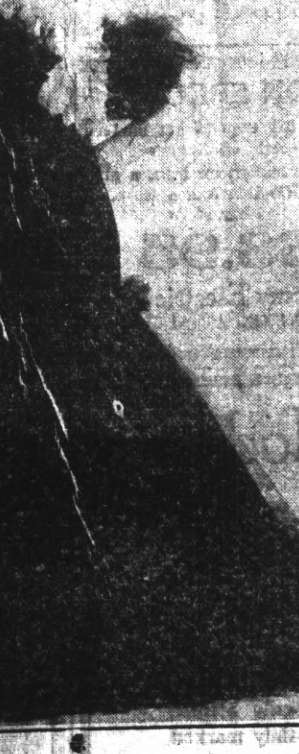
The danger of the homemaker cutting herself is increased when kitchen knives are dull or nicked.

Escarole is a two-in-one vegetable. The outer leaves may be cooked like spinach while the tender, inner leaves are used for a salad.

Children's Quarrels

Mrs. Goward's latest pamphlet, "Children's Quarrels," may be obtained free of charge by writing to her care of this paper and enclosing a stamped self-addressed envelope.

IN THE SPRING—



The vogue for tulle returns, and in the form of this lovely black evening gown worn by Virginia Bruce, film player. The long bodice is lined with taffeta and the ruffled skirt is applied at an angle. Orange and yellow silk flowers trim the neckline.

## MODERN WOMEN

By MARIAN MAYS MARTIN

He Likes to Dance, She Prefers the Home—How Can She Act to Keep Mental Pace?

IN ORDER to dance one must pay the fiddler. Everyone knows that. In this case the lady doesn't begrudge the fiddler his fee. But her husband does like to dance.

"My dear Mrs. Martin: We have been married three years and have just moved into a rather sporty community. There is a country club and we have been asked to join. I don't think we should, as it costs quite a little, but my husband is all set to join. He says we should, and that we can't have any fun if we don't. He likes to dance and have a good time, and I am content to stay at home, excepting for a movie or an occasional evening with friends. But my husband doesn't think that's enough, and all I can say won't make him see how silly it is to try to keep up with a set with more money than we have. Who's right?"

Even though you are right, yet I am going to advise you to do as your husband wants. Join the club and get all the amusement you can out of it, but be cautious about getting drawn into groups accustomed to blowing in—and I know of no better term for it—their money.

It's a dangerous stand for a home-loving wife to refuse to come out of her shell and go places and do things her husband likes. If it were the other way around, you would resent your husband's refusal to enter into the kind of things you like to do. Many a husband is dragged protesting to a country club, for usually, with the exception of the golf privileges, men are not very keen on country-club life.

Don't you realize that there are hundreds of women who envy you a pleasure-loving, particularly a dancing, husband?

If you refuse to agree to his joining the club he might do it anyway and then you would be in an awkward position. Join it and get with him.

Get yourself as pretty frocks as you can, and be as attractive as you know how, so that your husband will feel proud of your success. Don't make yourself out a martyr and don't "police" your husband, by which I mean keeping your eye on him every minute when he is dancing or talking with other women.

There is no gaining the fact that country club life comes high, and that it's awfully easy to get in over one's head, but I gather you will keep a weather eye on the clouds being signs. You must also admit that country clubs are usually hotbeds for gossip. You must be prepared for that, but the best way to guard against gossip is not to indulge in it.

ALTHOUGH it is not written in the marriage contract, it is nevertheless most important for couples to cultivate the same tastes, especially in amusement. A husband who has to look elsewhere for recreation is a husband as good as lost, and the same thing is true to a lesser degree with a wife. A community of interest is one of the strongest marital ties. Wives who are bored to tears at ball games have attended them cheerfully for years for the good of the cause—and husbands who sigh and doze off at concerts and operas have kept mum about it also.

Marriage calls for a certain amount of sportsmanship—one, or rather two, just have to make the best of things. Killjoys are never popular.

A thrifty wife has a hard time reconciling herself to the ways of a spendthrift husband, but she might just as well enjoy the fruits of his generosity as to let him spend his money elsewhere. Unfortunately, it is not the self-effacing, self-sacrificing, hard-working wife who wins out.

Men are invariably attracted by glamor, and wives who furnish it come out best in the long run. There are always plenty of pleasure-loving, carefree ladies, eager to dance and provide entertainment for the bored husbands. I really think you owe it to yourself to keep step with your husband.

## Have You a Question?

Mrs. Martin will be glad to answer in this column questions of general interest. Mrs. Martin cannot reply individually to every correspondence. Names will not be published. Address her care of this paper.



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## FILM STARS TO BE QUESTIONED IN CRIME QUIZ

LOS ANGELES, May 15.—(UP)—Police prepared tonight to question several film celebrities in an effort to uncover ramifications of a nationwide burglary ring which allegedly looted film colony homes of more than \$5,000,000 worth of jewelry, furs and other valuables in the last six months.

Meanwhile a grand jury investigation into charges against a woman and four men, arrested as suspects, was held up while police sought capture of the leader who apparently escaped a police trap.

## SEEK LEADERS

Mrs. Frances Krug, assertedly manager of a fashionable apartment house; Stefan Ganachian, Aram Rely, John Rankin and Joseph Messina were held in jail while a sixth person, reportedly with "high connections" was being sought.

Detective Chief Joseph Taylor, who organized the film colony detail to run down the gang, said he expected "the lid to blow off" in the investigation.

## RAFFLES USED

Describing the gang's method of operation, he said, "a raffles" member of the gang, posing as a guest, would attend fashionable parties, spotting women with expensive jewelry and furs. Later they were shadowed, their habits and associates noted, and telephone number obtained.

The burglaries supposedly were performed by members of the group "expert" in that trade, while others shadowed or associated with prospective victims.

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## Royal Arch Masons At Business Meet

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Announcement was made by W. A. Bishop, of the Knights Templar that the local Commandery will visit on Monday night for the conference of the Red Cross degree.

## Last Rites For Willis Congdon Held Yesterday

Funeral services for WILLIS Congdon, 46, who killed his wife at Pinole last Friday afternoon and then shot himself, were held yesterday in the Wilson & Kratzer chapel with Rev. G. W. Butcher officiating. Cremation was at Berkeley.

Congdon died Monday evening from a bullet wound in his head. Last rites were held for his wife on Monday.

## Gold Stolen From Richmond Residence

W. T. Gibbons, of 39 Nicholl Avenue, reported to police yesterday, that someone entered his home on

## LEGAL NOTICES

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
In the Matter of the Estate of AUGUST H. MILLER, Deceased, No. 8855.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Executor of the last will of August H. Miller, deceased, to the creditors of, and to all persons having claims against said deceased to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of Contra Costa County, State of California, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to the said Executor, at the office of C. D. Horner, attorney, 629 Macdonald Avenue, Richmond, California, the same being designated as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate, within six months after the first publication of this notice. Dated April 23rd, 1935.

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## Crossword Puzzle

By LARS MORRIS

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**BLUM, TOM, BLUM, TOM, HEAR**  
THE SOUND OF THE JUNGLE DRUM.

WE ARE GETTING NEAR THE VILLAGE!

BLOOD!

HORROR! SNARL! WANT'S US TO GO IN THERE!

BLINK!

I'LL GO FIRST. KEEP UP YOUR NERVE UP FOLKS.

WHAT IS THIS? A TRAP? THE DRUM BOOMS LOUDER AND LOUDER.

**MARY MIXUP** By Brinkerhoff

THANK YOU, SPUNKY, YOU HELPED EARN A LOT OF MONEY FOR OUR HOSPITAL

FOUR HUNDRED AND SIXTY TWO DOLLARS, SPUNKY GETS FOR WRESTLING

I'M GLAD YOU'RE ALONG. —THIS IS THE MOST MONEY I EVER CARRIED

LOOK! THERE'S THAT MEAN OLD MR. FRISBIE COMING

GOOD MORNING, MARY, I HAVE A MESSAGE FOR YOUR MOTHER—GOOD NEWS, TOO—

**FRITZI RITZ** By Ernie Bushmiller

THE LITTLE RUNAWAY IS ON A FREIGHT TRAIN BUT SHE DOESN'T KNOW WHERE SHE'S GOING

IT'S A NICE WARM DAY BUT I FEEL KINDA CHILLY—I HOPE I'M NOT GETTING SICK

BRRR—I NEVER HAD SUCH CHILLS IN MY LIFE!

I CAN'T UNDERSTAND IT!

REFRIGERATING CAR

**LOOY DOT DOPE** By JOHN DEVLIN

THIS NEWLY DEVELOPED CONCEIT AND TEMPERAMENT OF LOOYS IS BEGINNING TO IRK HIS FAMILY!

I TELL YOU THIS CONCEIT AND TEMPERAMENT OF THAT YOUNG PUP IS GETTING IN MY HAIR!

WHAT HAIR, PAPA?

SHUT UP YOU AND NOW HE'S LATE FOR DINNER

HE PHONED AN HOUR AGO AND SAID HE WAS WALKING HOME ON BEECH AVENUE!

WE MIGHT AS WELL GO AHEAD WITH DINNER—THERE ARE AT LEAST FORTY GUM MACHINES WITH MIRRORS ON THAT AVENUE!

**Things That Never Happen**

THAT SCALE MUST BE WRONG—I WEIGH AT LEAST 210 POUNDS!

THAT'S RIGHT, YOUR WRONG LADY!

CORRECT WEIGHT

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SAN FRANCISCO  
200 Modern Fireproof Rooms  
Rates \$2 to \$3 Daily  
FREE GARAGE KEARNY ST. at BUSH Coffee Shop



## ROOSEVELT'S AAA DEFENSE AROUSSES IRE

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mediately. "The President's speech," said Hastings, "reminds me of the small town bully, who boldly and courageously calls his opponents foul names when he has his own crowd about him to protect him."

### PROBE ASKED

Hastings introduced a resolution calling on Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace to give the senate details on whether the AAA encouraged the farmers to come to Washington and how the delegates were selected. The AAA contends the farmers thought up the idea themselves and paid their own expenses.

Up jumped pink whiskered James Hamilton Lewis, senior Senator from Illinois and Democratic whip of the Senate, to defend Mr. Roosevelt.

### DEFENDS ROOSEVELT

"The President is to be congratulated," he said, "May his tribe increase and his performance often multiply. I pay tribute to him for yielding to the popular impulse to call slanders of the Government that which they are—liars. Certain liars have been attempting to convince the nation that we are on the verge of inflation and others are guilty of seeking to mislead the people about the Administration's labor policies."

Over in the House the argument got down to brass tacks right away, with some old-fashioned name calling. Fish had just swung into his denunciation of the President when a Pennsylvania Democrat—Representative J. Burrows Daley—interrupted to say:

### "POOR FISH"

"I've sat through Republican and Democratic Congresses but this is the first time I've seen a kingfish at one end of the capitol and a poor fish at the other."

"Who is this gentleman who is speaking?" Fish demanded. "I never saw him before."

"The gentleman from Pennsylvania," replied Speaker Joseph W. Byrnes, "is a distinguished and much-needed member of the House."

## Georgia Voting For Retention Of Prohibition

ATLANTA, May 15—UP—First returns from scattered rural districts in Georgia's three-point prohibition referendum gave dry forces an early lead tonight.

Returns from 119 precincts gave: For repeal of the bone dry law 4850; against repeal 6559. For legalization of six per cent beer 4173; against beer 5261. For legalization of domestic wine 4430; against wine 5505.



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RICHMOND

### NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Richmond Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children and Animals will be held on May 31st at 8 P. M. at the home of Secretary Isaac Lester, 218 Sixth Street, Richmond, Cal. 5 15 21.

**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN**  
All Persons take notice that I, James McFarland, convicted and sentenced to state prison by the Superior Court of Contra Costa on the 12th day of May 1934, will apply to his Excellency Frank F. Merriam, governor of California, for a pardon.  
J. A. McFARLAND  
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## Good Will Delegates



ABOVE ARE three of the guests at the dinner of the Pilgrims Society in London held on King George's jubilee anniversary, to promote good-will between nations. Left to right are, Robert W. Bingham, American Ambassador to Great Britain; the Duke of Kent, representing King George, and the Earl of Derby.

## -a word in edgewise; wise and otherwise

By I. M. WISE

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erable sentiment in its favor, now that the parts objectionable to labor have been eliminated. Under the revised status it provides that the troopers shall not be used in strikes unless actual violence has occurred and then only by order of the governor. A further amendment permits the governor to use the police in labor trouble in case of property damage or there exists reasonable grounds to believe that actual violence or damage to property is threatened. This is the controversial measure which would reduce the sheriff to the position of mere civil process server, and it is needless to say is being bitterly opposed by the shierarchy of the state.

## Government Backs Down In Code Case

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price fixed by the code administrators' order.

Is price regulated lumber dealers to bid not less than the minimum price fixed, and that, with no extra charged, was so high and so much in excess of actual costs it resulted in profit of 100 per cent.

Further, the company charged the excessive profits were discouraging the demand for lumber, injuring business and stifling competition.

The company told the code authority it had been advised the bid procedure was illegal, and that the authority was not justified in fixing a minimum price for products sold within the State.

Backing its stand with actions, the company from then on refused to abide by the fixed price. After several purported hearings, the "regional compliance board" recommended to Donald Renshaw, regional director, that the Smith people be deprived of the Blue Eagle. At the same time the board advised various groups to whom the firm had submitted public works bids to ignore the bids.

The lumber firm carried the case to Federal Court, obtained a restraining order, then a temporary injunction. The controversy ended with the Government changing its stand, and dropping its complaint against the Smith company as well as all attempts to enforce the minimum price.

## Talk On Colors Heard By Kiwanis

An interesting talk on methods of coloring irons was given to the Richmond Kiwanis Club yesterday by M. B. Sweet of the Synthetic Iron Color Company of Richmond at Hotel Carquinez. His address was entitled, "Why We See Color and Why Color Fades."

V. G. Blake was chairman of the day and introduced the speaker.

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## Registration Law Repeal Is Voted By State Senate

County Clerk S. C. Wells yesterday received a telegram from Sacramento stating that the repeal of the permanent registration law and authorization for all county clerks to start a new register of voters next year has been approved by the Senate.

If the Senate votes down a motion for reconsideration and it is adopted by the Assembly the repeal measure will become a constitutional amendment to be submitted to the voters at the next general election. The vote in the Senate was 32 to 3 in favor of repeal last night.

Senator Gilbert L. Olson of Los Angeles changed his vote from no to aye in order to move for reconsideration.

Virtually all county clerks in the state favor repeal of permanent registration and return to the old system.

## Delegates Elected To Grand Lodge

A short session of Richmond lodge, Knights of Pythias, was held last evening at which delegates to the grand lodge were elected.

The annual session will be held at Stockton for four days, beginning May 21st, and the local lodge will be represented by George M. Deathe and John Sindrich.

## Verdicts Rendered In Two Inquests

Two inquests were held yesterday afternoon by Deputy Coroner W. P. Drumrey.

In the case of Masaki Dekura, Japanese, who was killed by a train near San Pablo on April 27, a verdict of accidental death was rendered.

The jury brought in a verdict that the death of Bessie Wood, was a natural cause.

## Sunday To Start Plan Of Safety

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men's program will be announced later.

City Superintendent of Schools W. T. Helms has announced that at the high school and two junior high schools, traffic programs will be carried on during the week.

A speakers' bureau has been arranged and speakers will address local service clubs, P. T. A.'s, lodges and veteran organizations.

**MOVIES TO BE SHOWN**  
At the Fox theater on Wednesday and Thursday evenings several reels of motion pictures will be shown, depicting workings of the safety councils.

Some time in June a school for traffic law violators will be started with F. A. Leber, inspector of state highway patrolmen, in charge.

### DRIVE PLANNED

A membership drive will be held by the organization under the direction of Lloyd T. Marshall, Dr. George Boehmer, president of the council, has announced that the council is seeking a membership of 1,000. Dues are \$1 each year.

The week's program will be one of the first ever held in this city and will stress the importance of traffic safety and the work of the Richmond Traffic Safety Council.

## Federal Grand Jury Refuses To Indict Men

DENVER, Colo., May 15—UP—A federal grand jury refused today to return true bills against three Denver businessmen who were arrested on fraud charges in connection with mailing chain letters.

The jury's action in refusing to indict R. M. Barnholt, H. L. Harris, and Edward W. Hughes, was tantamount to exonerating them of any violation of the law.

The government charged Barnholt, an official of an oil company; Harris, a mining engineer, and Hughes, a packing house employee, violated the postal laws when they mailed more than 1000 chain letters calling for contributions of \$1. The three men, the government charges, used names of their relatives and their own names on the letters and stood a chance of making close to \$1,000,000.

In presenting its evidence to the grand jury the government attempted to show that the three men were guilty of violating both the lottery and fraud statutes.

## Victims



DAVID LEVINSON, above, International Labor Defense attorney, and Robert Minor, below, Communist writer, victims of an alleged kidnapping by a vigilante committee, are pictured on their return to Gallup, N. M., after struggling into Tohatchi, N. M., where they were released by their abductors.

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## BOGUS MONEY STRIKE OF CONVICT IS LUMBER MEN SEEKING WRIT HITS STATE

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James Fred Burke, 42, arrested in Richmond and convicted in this county of counterfeiting, has applied to the court in Sacramento county for his release on a writ of habeas corpus, asserting the information was faulty, and he was illegally convicted. Burke is now serving time in Folsom prison.

Burke, with his wife, Helen, was arrested at Richmond February 21, 1931, on two counts of possession of counterfeiting apparatus and was sentenced to Folsom April 20, 1931, by the late Superior Judge H. V. Alvarado.

Since his incarceration in Folsom he has been working upon a scientific experiment and claims to have discovered a startling process for separation of hydrogen from water by electrolysis. Deputy District Attorney J. Francis O'Shea of Sacramento said Burke has conducted several demonstrations at Folsom at which Los Angeles and Sacramento businessmen interested in his process had witnessed him separate hydrogen from water.

O'Shea said that Burke obtained his release on parole from Michigan state prison in 1919 when a group of businessmen interested in his formula came to his assistance. The Deputy district attorney said present methods of separating hydrogen from water are so expensive as to be prohibitive for general use. Burke claims his process is relatively cheap.

When Burke and his wife were arrested in Richmond, officers claimed they seized a number of counterfeit traveler's checks on the National City Bank of New York, type, dies and a press.

Mrs. Burke was sent to San Quentin and her term was set at four years each on two counts, to run concurrently.

### BIG OPERATOR

According to a report to the prison, heard on Burke, the convicted juron, assertedly passed \$750,000 worth of traveler's checks in the four months before his arrest. His method of operation was to go to a service station, buy three or four gallons of gasoline, tender a \$10 counterfeit check, receive about \$9 change and drive away. He would then drain four or five gallons from the tank and repeat the process.

42½ cents an hour for 40 hours, and open shops.

The strike made no progress in the western pine belt of Oregon and Washington.

E. P. Marsh, U. S. Department of Labor conciliator, conferred with officials of the State Department of Labor at Olympia, Wash. He saw little hope for early settlement.

"It is largely a proposition of negotiations with individual employers and their employees at present," said Marsh. "There are nearly 1,000 operators, large and small, in the strike area, and each has his own problems."

Marsh said he would continue conferences with union leaders and manufacturers until he had contacted a majority of both.

## Searchers Fail To Find Trace Of Missing Plane

VALDEZ, Alaska, May 15—UP—The U. S. Coast Guard cutter Haida today started search of the north shore of Prince William Sound for the airplane in which pilot Jack Peck and two passengers have been missing since Saturday.

The cutter will patrol the Portage Bay vicinity, where the plane was last sighted, and the area between Port Wells and Valdez.

The plane, with Alden H. Sparling, Seattle, aerial photographer, and C. A. Schmidt, Fairbanks, left Anchorage for Valdez but failed to arrive. Concern was felt for safety of the two men, as there are no landing fields between the two towns.

Pilot Ed Dorrance flew over the Chugach mountain range area today. Pilots Kirkpatrick and Reeve will fly along the coast as soon as weather clears. Air conditions were bad.

Sparling, 28, came to Alaska to take pictures of the Matanuska-Valley colonization project for Wide World photo service. He is the son of George H. T. Sparling, former King County, Wash., health commissioner.



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